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SUBJECT: DEATH OF U.S. CITIZENS MOTHER AND SON

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1. CONGRESSMAN MORRIS UDALL INTERESTED.

2. EMBASSY CONTACTED BOTH FATHER-IN-LAW, GERARD BLITZ, AND JUDY MARKEY, FRIEND OF DECEASED AMCIT KAREN BLITZ. KAREN BLITZ APPARENTLY KILLED HERSELF AND CHILD, NICHOLAS ARTHUR BLITZ IN CAR, BY CARBON MONOXIDE POISONING AT CONCHES-EN-OUCHE, SMALL TOWN IN NORMANDY WEDNESDAY EVENING, NOVEMBER 3RD. BOTH FRIEND AND FATHER-IN-LAW STATE THAT KAREN HAD BEEN DEPRESSED.

3. PER BLITZ AND MARKEY, KATHERINE ANN GEORGE, SISTER OF DECEASED ARRIVED NOVEMBER 7TH AND HAS BEEN IN CONTACT WITH BLITZ FAMILY. MOTHER ABBEY GRUNEWALD ARRIVED TODAY. NEITHER HAS AS YET CONTACTED EMBASSY.

4. BLITZ AND MARKEY EVASIVE ON WHEREABOUTS OF JEAN BLITZ, HUSBAND OF DECEASED, BUT WE BELIEVE HE MAY BE IN NORMANDY COMPLETING ARRANGEMENTS WITH LOCAL AUTHORITIES.
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